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Principal's Report

Well, here we are at Week 9 and nearly a year is behind us! Still a lot ahead of us though, so please make sure you are keeping up with important dates! Notes going home are also on the website which is fantastic and I thank everyone for their patience and consideration as we manage this very, very busy time of the year.

We thank **Matt Kean** for joining us today to officially open our playground and pavers. It is always great to see him down here at Brooklyn.

Congratulations to all our students who received awards at our **End Of Term Assembly** today. I believe all our students are to be congratulated for the ways in which they strive to do their best and help to make our school great! I am very proud of all our students and teachers.

The **Special Swimming Scheme** is underway and by all reports, the children are enjoying their trip to Hornsby pool and the expert instruction. This is such a wonderful opportunity that the Department of Education provides to ensure our children are safe around water.

I would like to extend my **thank you** to all our wonderful volunteers who give up their time to help us out at school. We very much appreciate what you do for our students and you are helping us to make a difference in the lives of our students.

I would also like to thank Annette Tenkate and her **FAB** friends for being here each Wednesday afternoon to run the Kids' club. Today is their last afternoon for the year.

Teachers are busily writing **Semester 2** Student Reports which will come home on the last week of term. These reports celebrate your child's learning journey this semester and outline their achievement of stage outcomes. As new syllabus documents are being introduced by the Department, you will see the report formats changing next year to reflect new directions in education. Exciting times!

The merit selection panel will meet this week to consider applications for the position of **General Assistant**. There are many worthy candidates and it will not be an easy decision!! May the best man, or woman, win!!

Busy times ahead! Please make sure you pace yourselves and enjoy this wonderful time of the year with your families and friends!

All for now
Diana Aitken

Important Dates

- Dec 4 Super Hero Mufti Day
- Dec 9 2015 Presentation Assembly (9:30am)
Concert (5:30pm)
- Dec 10 Year 6 Graduation—Anglers Rest (6pm)
- Dec 11 The Big GIG—CAP concert (6:15pm)
- Dec 14 C.A.R.E.S. (year 5/6)
- Dec 15 Milson Island Fun Day
- Dec 16 Last Day Of Term 4
- Dec 20 Christmas Carols @ Mooney Chapel
- 2016**
- Jan 28 Years 1-6 return to school
- Feb 1 Kindergarten start



Assembly 28/11/15



Library Awards

Isaac O'Hehir, Audrey Tillson,
Zoe Weddin, Finn Bettenson,
Maddie Millward

HIP Keys

Marlowe Gaibor,
Maeve Townsend

Brookie Badges

Samara Barrett, Kayla Huang
Taylor Jaggs

Birthdays



Mikey Featon, Gus Walsh,
Erin O'Donnell

SUPERHERO MUFTI DAY

FRIDAY DECEMBER 4, 2015
is Superhero Mufti Day !!

Students can come dressed as their favourite superhero or in mufti clothes.



Please send a gold coin along with your child that day.

The money raised will go towards the Year 6 present to the school and we thank you for your contribution.

From the Library Shelves

Thursday (Dec 3) will be 'treat day' for everyone who has returned their books on time.

ALL BOOKS NEED TO BE RETURNED TO THE OFFICE BY THIS FRIDAY.

If you are having trouble finding any library books, then please speak to Mrs Bull or Mrs Jones.

Margaret Bull & Anna Jones



Hi everyone!

Just want to take the time to wish everyone a very MERRY CHRISTMAS and hope you all have a fun and safe holiday! Thanks to all our families for their support through the year!

Kids club last day will be the last day of school which is WEDNESDAY 16th December!

Vacation Care for January 2016 will run for 2 weeks, week beginning Monday 11th Jan and week beginning Monday 18th Jan. We will then return to BASC on first day back at school Thursday 28th Jan.

Vacation Program should be out by the end of the week!!! We have some exciting NEW activities to try and some old favourites!!! Clip N Climb, mad hatters tea party, fishing, water fun day, fish n chips lunch, movies, Australia day, and Gosford Olympic pool!!!! Hope to see you all in the holidays!!!!

All bookings must be made by calling HRCC on 9985-7362. OR on the kids club mobile: Kids Club Mobile Number : 0434 889 572 NO EMAIL BOOKINGS AS THIS IS NOT CHECKED EVERYDAY!!!

Thanks, Anna



Brooklyn Kids Club

Brooklyn Public School Presents

A NIGHT

AT THE MOVIES

School Performance



Brooklyn Public School Oval

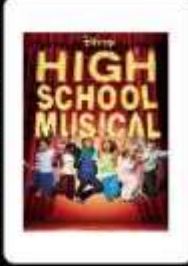
Wednesday 9 December 2015

5:30pm

FREE ENTRY!



*Please note Brooklyn Public School
is an alcohol free zone*



Kids Xmas Fun Day Sunday 6th December

It's on again join us at Brooklyn Public School

10.30am.

It's a **FREE** Day for the Kids

- Age races
- Novelty events
- Sausages sizzle
- Drinks
- Ice creams
- Santa arrives all kids get a show bag.



All welcome hope you can make it!

MOONEY STORY TIME



Next Monday is the Mooney Story Time Christmas Celebrations.

Come along at 10 am for craft, stories and fun for your child.

This is the last Story Time for 2015.

BROOKLYN KU MOBILE 1 PRESCHOOL



As most of you are aware, KU Mobile 1 Preschool is finishing up in Baden Powell Hall in Brooklyn at the end of the year.

Many little people in our community look back fondly on their preschool years at KU and the time they spent with the fabulous Rob Sharpe.

The End of Year Concert is on Thursday December 10th. From 1.30 - 4.00. An invite is extended to all ex-families and children and community members to join in and say farewell.

There will be a jumping castle until 4pm and airbrush tattooing. No doubt there will be some tears as well from Rob. If are you able to come we would love to see you on Thursday 10th December. In true Rob, style feel free to dress in tutus or as a superhero!

If you'd like to contribute \$5-\$10 for a gift for Rob, there is a collection box in the Brooklyn Public School office. We are thinking of getting him an artwork from a local artist.

For further details please contact Sarah Green on 0420 659 964 or Kate Glenn on 0433143093

Mooney Mooney Club

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ON THE HAWKSBURY

Celebrate with us...

Christmas RAFFLES

Forget the shops when you can WIN delicious Hams and Porks, plus Toys for the kids in our special Christmas raffles!

Children's Toy Raffle
Sunday 20 December 2015
Over \$1,500 worth of toys to be won!
Tickets on sale from Monday 14 December.
Raffle drawn at 3pm.

Ham and Pork Raffles
Saturday 12 and 19 December 2015
Over \$500 worth of Ham and Pork to be won!
Tickets from 3pm, Raffle from 5pm

HOLIDAY SEASON TRADING HOURS

Thursday 24 December	Christmas Eve	11am to 9pm
Friday 25 December	Christmas Day	11.30am to 3.30pm
Saturday 26 December	Boxing Day	11am to 10pm
Thursday 31 December	New Year's Eve	11am to 10pm
Friday 1 January 2016	New Year's Day	11am to 10pm

Note: The regular Saturday Raffle is cancelled on Saturday 26 December 2015 and Saturday 2 January 2016. Resuming Saturday 9 January 2016.

May Christmas Day is Buffet Lunch only when it is fully booked.

GRAND OPENING OF THE NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT AND MEMORIAL PAVED AREA

DECEMBER 2, 2015

